Arizona Instrument to Measure Standards AIMS

Test Security Agreement

The user (state agency, school district, charter holder and/or school professional staff) acknowledges that AIMS DPA (Dual Purpose Assessment) and High School AIMS are secure tests and agrees to the following conditions of use to ensure the test's security:

- 1. a) The user will take all necessary precautions to safeguard all test materials by limiting access to persons with the school district or agency with a responsible, professional interest in the test's security.
 - b) The names of all persons having access to the materials will be kept on file by the user.
 - c) All persons having access to the materials (other than students to whom the test is administered) will sign a security affidavit, which will be kept on file.
 - i. School Principals will maintain signed agreements of building staff.
 - ii. District will maintain signed agreements of building administrators.
 - iii. Superintendent/charter holder will sign for district and submit security agreement to ADE.
 - iv. ADE will maintain signed agreements of superintendents/charter holders.
 - 2. a) The user will keep the test materials under lock and key, except on actual testing dates, limiting access to those responsible for their security.
 - b) Secure test materials, including test books and directions, will be delivered to examiners no sooner than the date of testing, unless logistics dictate an earlier delivery date.
 - c) Test materials will be kept secure until they are actually distributed to students.
 - d) In no case will students be permitted to remove test material from the room where testing takes place except under supervision of staff (students completing test).
- 3. a) The user will not examine the test to determine the content beyond the requirements to administer the test.
 - b) The user will not disclose or allow to be disclosed the content of the test.
- 4. Upon completion of testing, the user will return all test materials to the designated testing coordinator of the school/district.
- 5. The user will develop, distribute, and enforce disciplinary procedures for the violation of test security by district or agency staff.
- 6. The user will follow the guidelines approved by the State Board of Education in January 2003 in the document *Test Preparation and Administration Practices*

By signing my name to this document, I am assuring the Arizona Department of Education that I and anyone having access to the test materials will abide by the above conditions.

SIGNATURE:		
PRINTED NAME:		
TITLE:	DATE:	
DISTRICT/CHARTER HOLDER CTD#:		
DISTRICT/CHARTER HOLDER NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
CITY:		

FAX SIGNED DISTRICT/CHARTER HOLDER TEST SECURITY AGREEMENT TO: 602-542-5467